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COMMANDANT NOTICE 1540

Subj: FY03 CLASS CONVENING SCHEDULE FOR COAST GUARD CLASS "A" AND "C" RESIDENT AND EXPORTABLE TRAINING COURSES

Ref: (a) Training and Education Manual, COMDTINST M1500.10 (series)

- (b) Cutter Training and Qualification Manual, COMDTINST M3502.4 (series)
- (c) Enlisted Qualification Codes Manual, COMDTINST M1414.9 (series)
- 1. <u>PURPOSE</u>. This Notice publishes the FY03 class convening schedule of Coast Guard Class "A" and "C" resident and exportable training courses. These courses were defined by program/force managers as essential or directly related to mission accomplishment or achievement of program objectives. It is to be used as a planning tool in meeting unit mission requirements.
- 2. <u>ACTION</u>. Area and District Commanders, Commanders of Maintenance and Logistics Commands, Commanding Officers of headquarters units, Assistant Commandants for directorates, Chief Counsel, special staff offices at Headquarters, and unit Commanding Officers/Officers in Charge, shall ensure compliance with the provisions of this directive. Internet release is authorized.

3. DISCUSSION.

- a. Reference (a) provides training guidance and course information for Coast Guard personnel.
- b. Reference (b) provides operational training standards applicable to cutters and provides a basic foundation from which unit Commanding Officers can determine the unit's specific training requirements. These standards will be updated as required and cognizant program/support managers will develop similar standards as specific needs are identified.

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- c. Reference (c) contains the procedures for the assignment and cancellation of qualification codes for enlisted personnel and billets.
- 4. <u>SUMMARY</u>. This notice provides class convening schedules and course information for Coast Guard Class "A" and "C" Resident Training. The sections are summarized below:
 - a. Section A provides the convening schedules for Class "A" Resident Courses.
 - b. Section B provides the convening schedule for Class "C" Resident, web-based and Exportable Courses. The "Send Training Request To" block is for all non-Electronic Training Requests submitted.
 - c. Section C provides a list of all Class "C" Resident, web-based and Exportable Courses that are sponsored by Headquarters program managers.
 - d. Section D contains course information for all HQ sponsored courses including Reserve specific Courses, Coast Guard Auxiliary Courses and Area Courses.
 - e. Class "A" and "C" School information is available on the Internet at the Training Quota Management Center (TQC) website. The website address is: http://www.uscg.mil/hq/tqc. TQC will maintain the website and make updates to the Class convening schedule downloadable from the website to provide date changes or cancellations for Class "A" and "C" schools.
 - f. Units who do not have regular access to the TQC website may download the schedule for use while away from homeport or request a CD-ROM via message to COGARD TQC CHESAPEAKE VA. Please be advised that the CD-ROM will not contain up-to-date changes made to the schedule throughout the year.
- 5. QUOTA REQUESTS. Unit Training Coordinators are encouraged to request quotas through the Electronic Training Request. Procedures are available at the following web site: http://cghrms.osc.uscg.mil/WebHelp/index.htm. Quotas may also be requested by submitting a Class "A" School Training Request (CG-5286) and a Short-Term Resident Training Request (STRTR) (CG-5223) for "C" schools. Procedures are provided at the TQC website. SWIII users can obtain both forms using Jetform Filler.

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